

PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 06478.1496

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:)
Hans-Peter HAUSER et al.) Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
Application No.: 10/721,997) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
Filed: November 26, 2003)
For: MODIFIED cDNA FACTOR VIII AND ITS DERIVATIVES))
Commissioner for Patents	

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

P.O. Box 1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment, submitted prior to a first Office Action, to Application 10/721,997, filed on November 26, 2003. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining		Highest Number	Present Rate		Additional	
	After Amendment		Previously Paid	Extra			Fee
Total	29	•	20	9	x \$ 18	\$	162.00
Indep.	4		3	1	x \$ 86		86.00
							290.00
Subtotal							538.00
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					TOTAL	\$	538.00

A check for \$538.00 to cover the above fee(s) is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: March 10, 2004

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.

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